## GARDNER

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ADMINISTRATION .

Retirement Board Members: Charlotte M. Noponen (Chairperson), Daniel J. Kelley,

Charles E. Langlois, Jr., Denise M. Merriam, Thomas H. Tracy

Board Administrator: Ruth A. LaFreniere

ACTUARIAL

Funded Ratio: 62.4%[1/99], 59.9% [1/98], 51.9% [1/95]

Date of Last Valuation: 1/99

Actuary: PricewaterhouseCoopers

Funding Schedule: Increasing 4.5%

Retired Members: 224

INVESTMENT

Return

**1999:** 23.24%

**1995–1999:** 20.31% **Average Investment Return Target:** 8.44% **1985–1999:** 13.26% **Actuarial Assumed Rate of Return:** 8.00%

Asset Growth

1999 Market Value: \$28 million1998 Market Value: \$25 million1996 Market Value: \$18 million

DISABILITY \_

Retirement Statistics as of 12/31/99

Disability Panel Requests: 3 RTS Reviews: 5
Disability Retirement Approvals: 1 RTS Exams: 0

Accidental Death Approvals: 0 Restored to Service: 0

AUDIT\_

Findings as of 12/31/96

Significant finding resolved.